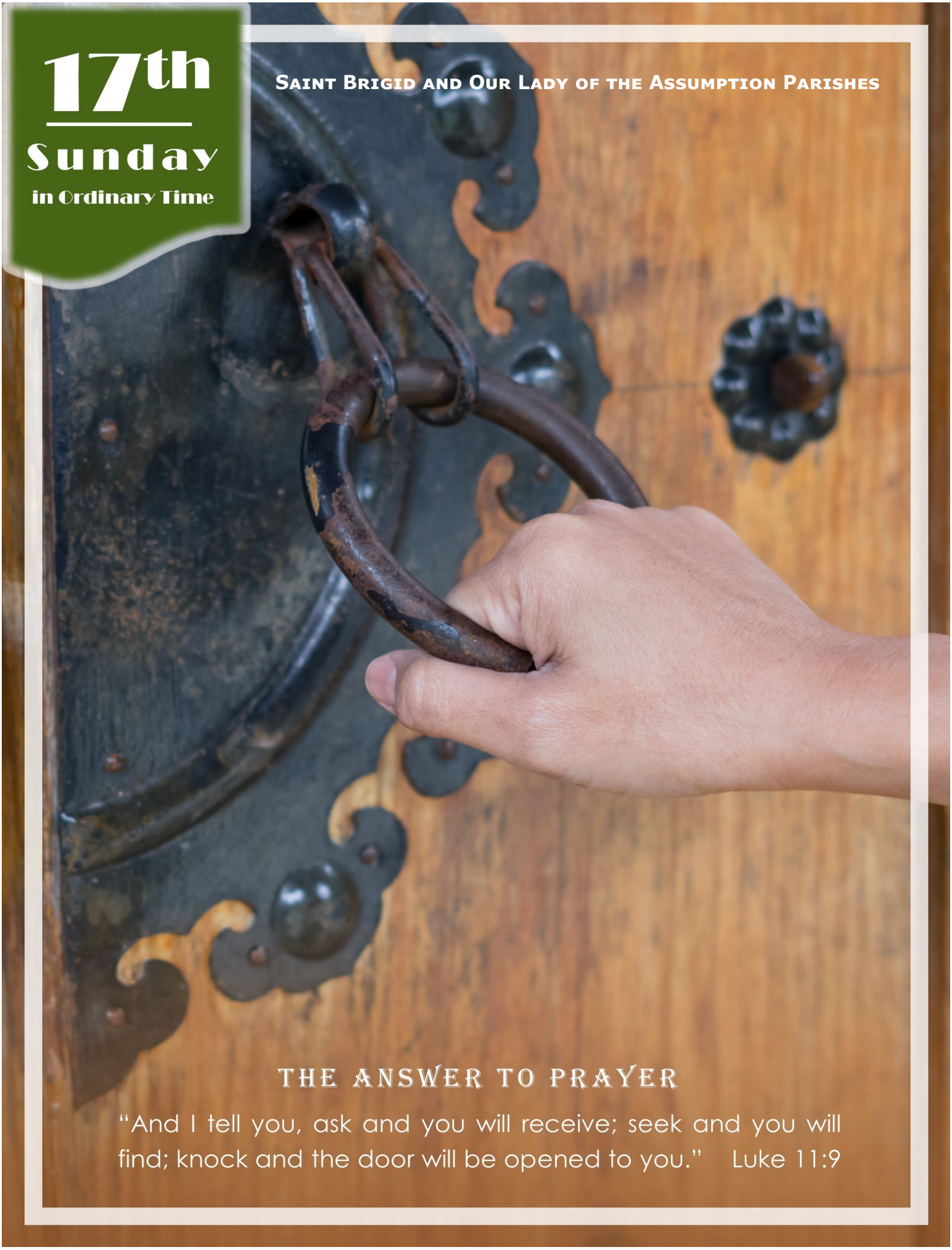
# 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saint Brigid and Our Lady of the Assumption Parishes



## THE ANSWER TO PRAYER

"And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you." Luke 11:9

# THE CATHOLIC PARISHES OF MILLBURY
# SAINT BRIGID † OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

## Parish Office

**59 Main Street, Millbury, MA 01527**
**Mon. - Thurs. 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM**
(508) 865-6624 • **Fax:** (508) 865-3101
**www.stbrigidparish.org**

**Assumption Parish Phone:** (508) 865-2657
**www.assumptionmillbury.org**

## Assumption School

17 Grove St.
Millbury, MA 01527
(508)865-5404
www.assumptionschoolmillbury.org
**Julie Olson**
*Principal*

## St. Vincent de Paul Society Outreach

774-262-5506

## Mass Times

**St. Brigid Church**
59 Main Street
Saturday: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 7:00 AM and 11:00 AM

**Assumption Church**
10 Waters Street
Sunday: 9:00 AM

## Weekday Mass Times

All at Assumption Church
Monday & Thursday
9:00AM

Tuesday & Wednesday
7:00AM

## Knights of Columbus

Bishop Bernard J. Flanagan, Council 12710
Email: council12710.kofc@gmail.com

# Parish Staff

## Clergy

**Rev. Daniel R. Mulcahy, Jr.**
*Pastor*

**Rev. Mr. Ronald B. Buron**
*Deacon*
*Facilities*
*Safe Environment*

## Administration

**Eloise Colasanto-Saia**
*Secretary*

**Ronald Marlborough**
*Buildings and Grounds*

## Pastoral Associates

**Sister Jeanne Richard, S.A.S.V.**
*Pastoral Care Ministry Emerita*

**Gregory Bernard**
*Adolescent & Young Adult Faith Formation*
*Youth Ministry*
*Communications*

**Deborah Riedle Blicharz**
*Children's Faith Formation*
*Community Life and Outreach*

**Claudette Belair**
*Music Ministry*

# Sacraments

### Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated each month. To prepare for your child's Baptism, parents will attend a preparational session. For more information, or to make arrangements, please call the parish office.

### Penance and Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:00 PM to 3:45 PM
or anytime upon request.

### Marriage

Please call the parish office at least one year in advance.

### Anointing of the Sick and Communion Calls

Please call the office when a parishioner is confined at home, is in the hospital, or placed in a nursing home or hospice. Holy Communion is brought to shut-ins upon request.

# Masses and Services

*Sat., July 23*

4:00 PM **Joseph Prachniak**
By: Norm & Pay Gonyea

*Sun., July 24*

7:00 AM **Dennis, June, Dennise, & Drew Leonard**
By: The Family

9:00 AM **Roger Bourdeau, 64th Wedding Anniv.**
By: His wife, Aline

11:00 AM **The Deceased Members of The Geneva Family**
By: Jim & Joanne Geneva

*Mon., July 25*

**NO MASS**

*Tues., July 26*

**NO MASS**

*Wed., July 27*

**NO MASS**

*Thu., July 28*

**NO MASS**

*Sat,, July 30*

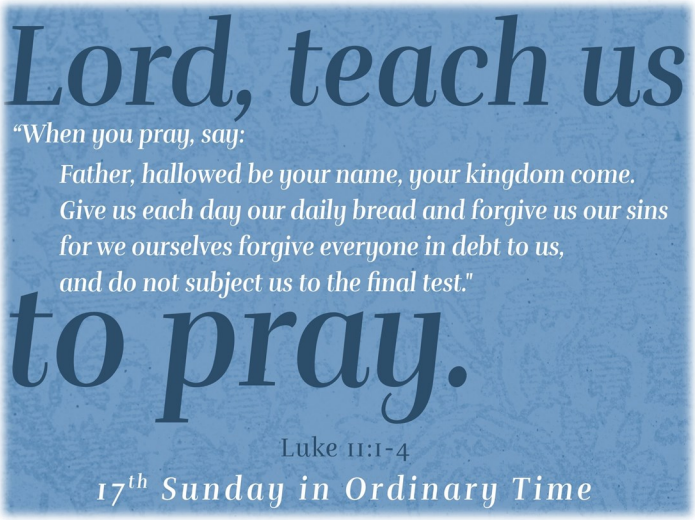
4:00 PM **Roger & Janice Lavallee**
By: Jim & Lisa Vaughan

*Sun., July 31*

7:00 AM **The People of the Catholic Parishes of Millbury**

9:00 AM **Connor Francis Tronerud**
By: His Parents, Jason & Teresa & brother, Kyle

11:00 AM **Gloria Millette**
By: Marlene & Marc


Lord, teach us
"When you pray, say:
Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come.
Give us each day our daily bread and forgive us our sins
for we ourselves forgive everyone in debt to us,
and do not subject us to the final test."
to pray.
Luke 11:1-4
17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

**Saturday, July 30, 4:00 PM at St. Brigid**
*AS: R. Prue, T. Yaz*
*L: J. Hanratty*
*EM: P. Michalak, T. Goyette*
**Sunday, July 31, 7:00 AM at St. Brigid**
*AS: J. Mazeika*
*L: M. Blunt*
*EM: M. & B. Blunt*
**Sunday, July 31, 9:00 AM at Assumption**
*AS:*
*L: J. Hoban*
*EM: A. Bourdeau, L Flagg*
**Sunday, July 31, 11:00 AM at St. Brigid**
*AS:*
*L: J. & J. Geneva*
*EM: P. & J. Prince*

## FACILITY SCHEDULE

**SUNDAY ~ JULY 24**
SLAA @ SBH 7:30 PM
**MONDAY ~ JULY 25**
AA @ SBH 7:00 PM
GA @ OLAH 8:00 PM
**TUESDAY ~ JULY 26**
OA @ SBH 6:30-8:00 PM
**WEDNESDAY ~ JULY 27**
NO EVENTS
**THURSDAY ~ JULY 28**
ROSARY @ CPO 6:00 PM
**FRIDAY ~ JULY 29**
NO EVENTS
**SATURDAY ~ JULY 30**
NO EVENTS
**SUNDAY ~ JULY 31**
SLAA @ SBH 7:30 PM

*SBC=St. Brigid Church*
*SBH=St. Brigid Hall*
*CPO=Catholic Parish*
*OLAC=Assumption Church*
*OLAH=Assumption Hall*
*OLAS=Assumption School*

## SCRIPTURE READINGS 2022

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|---|---|
| **17TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME** July 24 | Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2a, 2b-3, 6-7a, 7b-8/ Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13 |
| **MONDAY** July 25 | ***Saint James, Apostle*** 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 126:1bc-2ab,2cd-3,4-5,6/Mt 20:20-28 |
| **TUESDAY** July l26 | *Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary* Jer 14:17-22/Ps 79:8, 9, 11+13/Mt 13:36-43 |
| **WEDNESDAY** July 27 | Jer 15:10,16-21/Ps 59:2-3,4,10-11,17,18/Mt 13:44-46 |
| **THURSDAY** July 28 | Jer 18:1-6/Ps 146:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab/Mt 13:47-53 |
| **FRIDAY** July 29 | *Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus* Jer 26:1-9/Ps 69:5,8-10,14/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42 |
| **SATURDAY** July 30 | *Saint Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church* Jer 26:11-16,24/Ps 69:15-16,30-31,33-34/Mt 14:1-12 |
| **18TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME** July 31 | Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14+17/ Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21 |

# In Loving Memory

John & Julia Anger
Oscar & Marcy Anger
Lee Aubin
Larry F. Army
Gregory Barlay
Albina Bartkus
Edward Bartkus
Ann Beesley
George Bott
Arthur G. Boucher
Sylvio E. Bourdeau
Armando & Ellen Bresciano
Casey Bulger
Joseph & Rose Cataldo
Philip Chabot, Sr.
Joseph Coggans
Rita Cogliandro
Albert and Helen Collette
Pat and Tiff Correia
Donna "Gain" Cournoyer
Roland O. Couture
Arthur "Archie" Cronin
Gerald & Peggy Croteau
Edward Crowley
George A. D'Auteuil, Jr.
George A. D'Auteuil, Sr.
Raymond DeRouin
Armand & Doris Desorcy

Diane Dion
David Ducharme
Timothy P. Eckland
Christina Erickson
Armand J. Favreau
Jonathan Favreau
Louis & Philamena Felice
William Felice
Arsene & Gabrielle Gaboriault
Joe & Jean Gagliardi
William Gain, Jr.
Bernice Gaudere
Reggie Gauthier
Stephen W. Gedman
Rev. John F. Gee
Richard "Dick" Gendron
Edward & Frances Genis
Ruth Gonsorcik
John & Irene Guyan
Robert James (Sam) Guyan
Conrad Hagstrom
Betty Hamilton
Derek Hamilton
Robert J. Hamilton
Sherri Kalil Hamilton
Matthew Hartline
Everett & Pauline Hennessey
John & Shirley Huchowski
Paul J. & Ann V. Jandron

Joanne Juskavitch
Joseph V. Kane
Richard Kroll
Michael P. Krumsiek
Helen R. LaCrosse
Robert P. LaCrosse, Sr.
Lillian Langevin
James LaPrad
Tan Le
Noe R. LeBeau, Sr.
Edward L. Lemoine
Kevin Lemoine
Rita Lemoine
Mark Lizotte
William and Irene Louis
Mary Metelica
Kenneth Michalak
Pauline Montigny
Lorraine Mooney
Mary B. Mrozinski
Ann Mulcahy
Daniel R. Mulcahy, Sr.
Albert Nikosey
Evelyn Noonan
Joseph Noonan
Rosemary Norton
John P. & Bridget O'Malley
Virginia Richnick
Arlene Riedle

John I. Riedle
Felicien & Anna Routhier
Chester & Elaine Roy
Darlene Russell
Dorothy Russell
Marshall Russell
William Russell
Maria Sabourin
Bob & Rita Shea
Brian Silver
Gino Silveri
Lucien Sirard
Maureen L. Stacy
C. Richard Stockhaus
James Tabor
Neal R. Thomas
Connor Tronerud
Chester Urban
Robert E. Vaillancourt
Nancy Vaillancourt
Lucille Vecchione
William T. Walsh
Margaret Wendt
Camille White
Dolores White
Ronald Woodward
Frank & Ann Marie Yaz

## May they Rest in Peace

Would you like to remember a loved one in our Remembrance section? The cost of enrollment will be a $50 donation for the year. Please contact the office (508) 865-6624 to enroll your loved one(s).

# Candles

**July 23 - 29, 2022**

## Assumption Church

### Sanctuary Candle

*59th Anniversary Remembrance for*

**William Russell**

*Requested by: His wife, Carol & Family*

### Blessed Virgin Mary Candle

*In Loving Memory of*

**Thomas Weeks**

*Requested by: Marc Millette & Marlene Horner*

### St Joseph Candle

*64th Wedding Anniversary Remembrance for*

**Roger Bourdeau**

*Requested by: His wife, Aline*

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## St. Brigid Church

### Blessed Virgin Mary Candle

*For the deceased members of*

**The Piorkowski Family**

*Requested by: Cathy Piorkowski*

In the charity of your prayers,
please remember the souls of

**Mary Tellier**

**&**

**John "Steve" Maiorano**

who have gone home to God.
May they rest in Christ's eternal
light and peace.

# Ministries

## Society of St. Vincent de Paul
### Catholic Parishes of Millbury

Phone: 774-262-5506

**Monthly Meetings**

Third Sunday - 10:00 AM
St. Brigid Hall

***New Members Welcome!***

**Parish Food Collection**

Monthly: Next Collection is July 10th.
Donations are brought to main entrance of the churches on food drive dates and placed in the large blue bins only, no exceptions.
NO Perishables, NO Cleanouts.

**Food Distribution**

**Next one is August 7th!**

***NEEDS!***

***Food:*** *We are in need of pancake mix and syrup. For the time being the pantry is set with a good supply of other foods.*

***Much Needed Items:*** *Toothpaste, toothbrushes, paper towels, toilet paper, facial tissue, bars of soap, & shampoo. Please No Perishable, Expired Dates, or Pet Food.*

## Knights of Columbus

Bishop Bernard J. Flanagan Council 12710
Website: www.koc12710.orgEmail:
council12710.kofc@gmail.com

**Monthly meetings:**
Business (members only) First Wednesday-7pm
@ St.Mark's Church Hall.

Social (all invited) Third Wednesday-7pm
@ St.Brigid Church Hall.

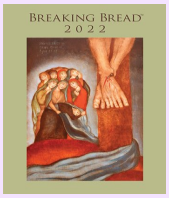
We welcome new members, and now you can join online by visiting KofC.org/joinus

**Current Events**

Calling all golfers, mark your calendars for the our 2022 Annual Golf Tournament, to benefit our Scholarship Fund. September 11th, 1 pm at Shining Rock Golf Club, Northbridge. Get your groups of 4 together and come on out and have an enjoyable afternoon. If you're not a golfer, perhaps you might consider sponsoring a hole.
For more information please contact Phil Roux at 508-439-1439 or pjroux79@gmail.com

Through prayer we stay in touch with God, who provides us strength in times of collapse. We pray not to lose heart. We survive because we stay connected to a reality that outlasts chaotic and destructive forces.

~ John Shea




## Breaking Bread Missals 2023

For the upcoming Liturgical year (beginning in Advent) our parishes will resume having Breaking Bread Missals available in the pews. There is no need to purchase individual copies. However, some parishioners have expressed an interest in purchasing their own copies so we will once again offer individual purchase of Missals.
If you would like to purchase a missal please fill out the attached form and return it to the rectory via the collection or mail. Orders must be placed by August 15, 2022. Cost is *$7* each.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the office at 508-865-6624 or Claudette.belair@charter.net.

Name_____

Phone _____

Email_____

# of Missals_____ Amount enclosed $_____

## FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION!

**Save the dates: August 21, 22, 23, 24**
**6:00PM in Assumption Hall**
**All Grades 1-10**

There will be a parent meeting and overview that begins promptly at 6:00 each night, followed by Q & A and then registration. We ask that parents plan to register in person at one of these dates. Students are not required to attend these meetings. More details to come in future bulletins!
We hope you're all enjoying summer!

LEGACY OF HOPE
DIOCESE OF WORCESTER

# Legacy of Hope Projects

**St. Brigid – Has Received the 1st and 2nd Installments of the $115,250 pledged.**

**Refinish and Update the Pews and Kneelers - Replace the Carpeting**
**Lloyd's Woodworking in Hudson, MA** – right after Easter work began on this project and includes; complete refinishing of all pews, kneelers, and new pew ends. **The work will be done in 4 sections. The refinished pews in the second section were installed last week!** Work on each section will take about 3 weeks. You can see a sample of what the refinished pews will look like in the vestibule of the Church.

**Business Floors, Inc. of Hopedale, MA** will begin installing our new carpeting as soon as the refinished pews are fully installed. This project will take approximately 10 days for completion.

**Assumption – Has Received the 1st and 2nd Installments of $79,150 pledged.**

**Repaint the Church Interior – Replace the Carpeting, Renovate Church Hall Kitchen**
**Arch Painting has been completed and the church is back to being open for Mass and Services.**

**Business Floors, Inc. of Hopedale, MA** – Work has been completed.

**Kitchen Update** – This project remains out for bid.

Partners in Charity
DIOCESE of WORCESTER

Scan this QR Code to watch The Partners Appeal Video:

## G… Made Easy!

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Text gi… ha… down the easiest and most se… … to give. If you know how to send a text message, you can ma…e a gift to Partners in Charity in seconds or… Best yet, our parishes, St.Bri… …dy of the Assu…ption …

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Thank you for your continued … couldn't do it without yo…

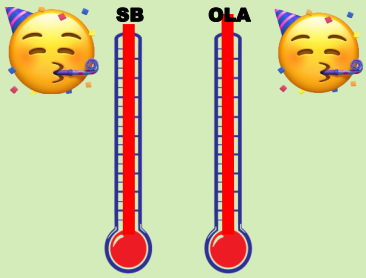
THANK YOU!

## WooHoo!!

**As of June 30, 2022**

**Our Lady of the Assumption**
has raised $26,205 and
**EXCEEDED** its
Partners goal of $20,400!

**St. Brigid**
has raised $62,110 and
**EXCEEDED** its
Partners goal of $60,000.

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# SUNDAY FUNDAY

## TRUE or FALSE ?

1. The sin in Sodom and Gomorrah was grave.
2. The three men walked on towards Sodom.
3. If God found even ten innocent people there, he would spare the city.
4. God gave us new life in company with Abraham.
5. God pardoned all our sins.
6. God cancelled the bond that stood against us.
7. A disciple asked Jesus to teach them how to pray.
8. In Jesus' story, the man asks for five loaves.
9. Jesus said, "Ask, and you might receive."
10. The heavenly Father will give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him.

ANSWERS

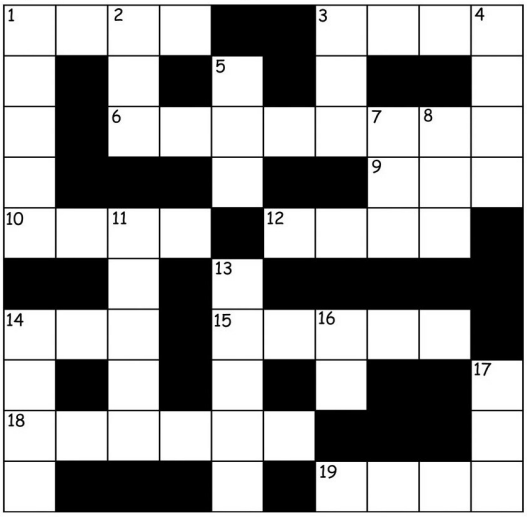
1 true, 2 false, 3 true, 4 false, 5 true, 6 true, 7 true, 8 false, 9 false, 10 true.

## CROSSWORD

(Most answers are in today's readings)

CLUES ACROSS

1. The disciples asked Jesus how to do this 3. To close 6. Opposite of cruelty 9. Dead bodies do this 10. Abraham said he was this; tiny specks 12. Title for God 14. You sleep in this 15. What is left after wood burns 18. The greatest building in Jerusalem 19. Opposite of evil



CLUES DOWN 1. Opposite of humble 2. To make a request 3. Jesus was this 4. Another word for "trial" 5. The lowest number 7. To make a mistake 8. A lump of soil 11. The city which God would destroy 13. Give us this day our _____ bread 14. Two together 16. Opposite of "she" 17. The Creator

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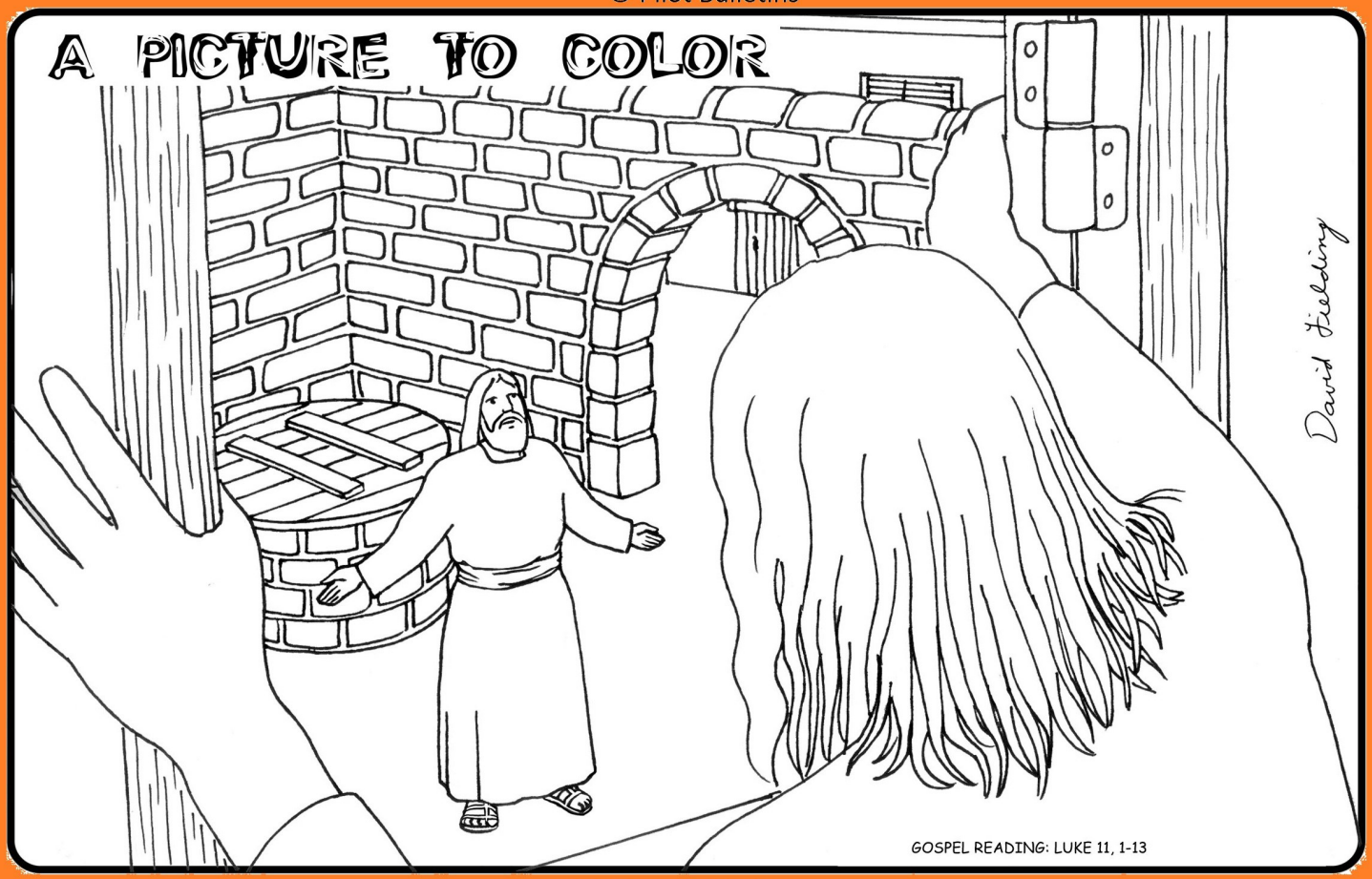


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# Weekly Financials

***St. Brigid***
***Income***
**July 10, 2022**

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| Regular Weekly Collection | **$4,492.00** |
| Ordinary Collection Monthly | $125.00 |
| ***Total Regular Weekly Collection*** | **$4,617.00** |
| Other Parish Income: | |
| Capital Improvement | $377.00 |
| Specialty Ministries | $18.00 |
| Mass Stipends & Funerals | $720.00 |
| In Remembrance & Candles | $180.00 |
| Utilities | $306.00 |
| Miscellaneous | $118.00 |
| **Total Other Income** | **$1,716.00** |
| **Total Income** | **$6,336.00** |

***Our Lady of the Assumption***
***Income***
**July 10, 2022**

| | |
|---|---|
| Regular Weekly Collection | **$1,663.00** |
| Ordinary Collection Monthly | $275.00 |
| ***Total Regular Weekly Collection*** | **$1,938.00** |
| Other Parish Income: | |
| Capital Improvement | $154.00 |
| Specialty Ministry | $25.00 |
| PACT Rental | $1,500.00 |
| Utilities | $120.00 |
| Miscellaneous | $70.00 |
| **Total Other Income** | **$.1,869.00** |
| **Total Income** | **$3,807. 00** |

## MINISTRY OF PRAYER

**Prayer Line: 508-865-6853**
**or 508-756-9854**

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, call one of the confidential prayer lines listed above.

Today is the first World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly! We pray for all grandparents and elderly people today and remember their importance in our lives.

Remember in Prayer this Week
Those Who Serve in our Military:

**Patrick Weeks**

**Andrew Hafferty**

## PRAY THE ROSARY

Every Thursday evening at
6:00 PM at the parish offices.
Led by Deacon Ron
All are welcome!

# SENIOR CENTER NEWS

**UPCOMING SUMMER CONCERTS**
The Millbury Senior Center Announces…

Thursday, July 14th , 6 – 8 P.M.
**4 Ever Fab** "A Beatles Tribute Band"

Join us in the Senior Center Garden
These events will be held rain or shine, bring your lawn chairs!

**LIGHT EXERCISE CLASSES**
Mondays and Fridays 9:30 A.M.–10:15 A.M. (Free!)

**TAI CHI**
**Tuesdays 9:30 - 10:30 A.M. (class is $3)**

**YOGA**
**Thursdays 9 – 10 A.M. ( Class is $3)**

**Wii BOWLING**
Mondays at 12:30 P.M.

**BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC**
Every Tuesday from 9 A.M. - 10 A.M.

**MAHJONG**
Mondays at 12:45 P.M.

**WALKING CLUB**
Tuesdays at 8:30 A.M.

**SOCIAL BINGO**
Wednesdays at 1:00 P.M.
Bring your pennies!

**DULL MEN'S CLUB**
Thursdays 10:00 - 11:00 A.M.

**MEMORY CAFÉ**
Our next Memory Café will be held
Tuesday, May 24 2:00 - 3:30 P.M.

**If you or someone you know** has been sexually abused by a priest, religious, or lay person working for the Church, and you need a place to talk about your feelings of betrayal or hurt by the Church, call Judith Audette at the Office for Healing and Prevention, (508) 929-4363.
A 24-hour-a-day confidential voicemail is available.

Assumption School
Millbury, MA
A legacy of learning...a history with heart

## PreK 4 Graduation

Our PreK 4 Class held their Graduation Ceremony on June 16th. Parents and Grandparents were all there to celebrate with them. Students received their Promotion to Kindergarten Certificates and had a frozen treat to end the year. Time to move on to Kindergarten! Congratulations!